

City of Chattanooga

Pedestrian Safety HUB Fact Sheet

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As part of overall efforts to address safety across the City, multiple departments collaborated to create a public-friendly approach to addressing pedestrian safety and the city's most vulnerable road users when walking, biking, or rolling for work or play.

Goal: Workers, Residents, and Visitors Feel Safe Moving Around Our City

Objectives: Reduce Fatalities and Protect the Most Vulnerable

This site includes, but is not limited to crash statistics, tracking of safety improvement projects, highlighted successes, and educational material. You can access the site [here](#).

The screenshot shows a website interface with several interactive cards. The first card, titled "(VRU) Vulnerable Road Users 2023 (Chattanooga)", displays "21 Fatalities" and "Local Roads" with a source link. The second card, "Project Status", features a pedestrian icon and a description of current and proposed safety projects. The third card, "See Our Success", shows a street scene and offers to review recent VRU safety projects. The fourth card, "Resources", includes an image of a person in a wheelchair and offers to explore local resources. A fifth card, "Survey", includes an image of a hand marking a survey form and invites users to share their travel experiences.

The site also gives individuals an opportunity to share their experiences both positive and negative through an on-going public survey as well as a new email address, SaferStreetsCHA@chattanooga.gov, to inquire about a pedestrian-oriented issue or submit a walk/bike audit for evaluation by City staff. Email sent to this address will be received by multiple departments' staff to ensure a timely response from the most appropriate staff team. We want people to feel safe and comfortable actively transporting throughout the City and we can't do that without two-way communication with all Chattanoogaans.

The City of Chattanooga Safer Streets website does not replace the 311 system. Any need for a physical street repair, sign damage/replacement, or other hazard/obstruction on a street or sidewalk should be submitted to 311.